

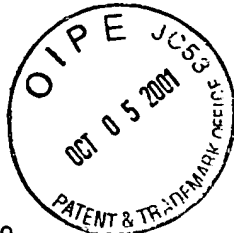


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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

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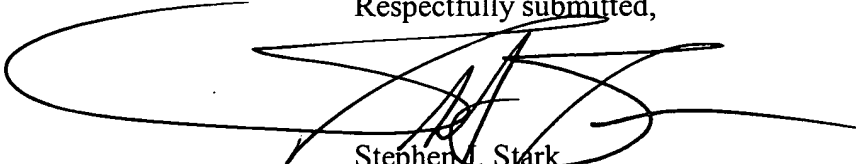
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Dear Sir:

The Applicant has received the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated August 21, 2001. The Notice observed that an abstract was not provided with this application. Enclosed is an abstract. No new matter is included with this abstract and no additional fees are believed necessary at this time.

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